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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Col. 6, line 57
delete "updated contact information."

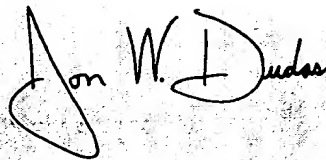
Col. 7, line 54

replace "It the match is not sufficient, than box 27 it is prohibited to modify the data set. Alternatively, if the match is sufficient, then, in box 26, the subject (who is authenticated as the user) is permitted to modify the data set."

with --If the match is not sufficient, then in box 27 authorization of the transaction is refused. Alternatively, if the match is sufficient, then, in box 26, the transaction is authorized. The transaction authenticated herein may be any type of transaction where it is important or desirable to establish that a party is authentic—for example, a sale involving property involving a significant amount of money, or access to an airplane for travel on a ticket already purchased. --

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